Representation of Roman Catholics of South Travancore in public service.

41. **MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR** (*Agastisvaram*): Are the Government aware that the South Travancore Roman Catholics are very poorly represented in the public service?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Government are aware that South Travancore Catholic Christians are not largely represented in the public service.

Committee on educational reforms.

42. **MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR** (*Agastisvaram*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether there is a proposal to appoint a committee to enquire into the defects of the present system of education and suggest remedies?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Yes. There is a proposal to appoint an Educational Reforms Committee.

Golf Links, Quilon Residency.

43. **MR. E. V. KRISHNA PILLAI** (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) in whose possession the Golf Links of the Quilon Residency are;

(*b*) the rules of admission to the same; and

(*c*) whether anybody, subject to these rules, is entitled to play there?

MR. A. KUMARA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*) The Golf Links of the Quilon Residency are in the possession of the Government and under the control of the Executive Engineer, Quilon.

(*b*) There are no rules for admission to the same.

(*c*) State Guests, the Agent to the Governor-General, when stopping at the Residency, and others, permitted by the Government to stop at the Residency, have the first right to use the links which form part of the Residency grounds. Other persons can use the links with the sanction of the Government.

Comparative strength of jaggery arrack of different degrees.

44. **MR. S. KRISHNA PILLAI** (*Karunagapalli*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether jaggery arrack of 30° U. P. is more intoxicating than jaggery arrack of 25° U. P.?

MR. A. KUMARA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government*): Jaggery arrack of 25° U. P. is more intoxicating than jaggery arrack of 30° U. P. as the former contains a higher percentage of alcohol.

Sale of intoxicants to females.

45. **MR. S. KRISHNA PILLAI** (*Karunagapalli*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have allowed the sale of toddy, ganja and opium to adult females of the State; and

(*b*) whether the sale of toddy arrack or jaggery arrack to such females is prohibited?

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